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AND QUINOLONE-RESISTANT
ENTEROBACTERIACEAE

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This document is filed in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated September 27, 2006. A one-month period for response was set, making a response due on or before October 27, 2006.

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Applicants elect Group III (claims 30-38).